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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 29 March 2000

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fourth session

Open-ended Informal Consultations of the Plenary on Agenda Item 49 (b) (The Millennium Assembly of the United Nations)

3 p.m.	3rd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 3

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE
(resumed first part)

10 a.m.	57th meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor [169] (A/54/775 and A/54/802)

   Introduction and general discussion

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2. Financing of the United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor [173] (A/54/769 and A/54/804)

Introduction and general discussion

3. Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo [175] (A/54/808 and A/54/813)

Introduction and general discussion

Morning*- 1 p.m.	informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 118 (Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations: Strengthening of external oversight mechanisms (A/49/368 and Corr.1, A/49/471 and Corr.1, A/49/633, A/51/674, A/53/171 and Add.1, A/53/670, A/54/16), Improving the working methods of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/52/L.58) and Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (A/52/1020, A/53/467, A/52/339 and Add.1, A/52/821, A/52/776, A/52/777, A/51/933, A/52/575, A/53/811, A/54/157 and Add.1, A/54/334 and Add.1, A/54/367, A/54/410, A/54/413, A/52/887 and A/52/1010)) and 127 (Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (A/51/432, A/51/530 and Corr.1, A/51/801, A/52/426, A/52/464, A/53/428 and A/53/393))

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 169 (Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor (A/54/775 and A/54/802)), 173 (Financing of the United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor (A/54/769 and A/54/804)) and 175 (Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (A/54/808 and A/54/813))

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* Following the adjournment of the 57th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 30 March 2000

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fourth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE
(resumed first part)

10 a.m.	informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.	informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Tuesday, 28 March 2000

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fourth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 56th meeting

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [151]

(a) Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

Death and disability benefits

The Committee had before it a note by the Secretary-General on death and disability benefits (A/C.5/54/47).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/54/782).

Statements were made by the representatives of the Republic of Korea, Morocco, the United States, and China.

The representative of the Field Administration and Logistics Division, Department of Peacekeeping Operations, replied to questions raised.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion on this question.

The Chairman proposed an oral draft decision which the Committee adopted without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this question.

Programme budget for the biennium 2000-2001 [121]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

Estimates pertaining to matters of which the Security Council is seized

The Committee had before it a report of the Secretary-General on estimates in respect of matters of which the Security Council is seized (A/C.5/54/52).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions orally introduced the related report of that Committee, which would be subsequently issued as an official document of the United Nations.

Statements were made by the representatives of Nigeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the United States, Cuba, Portugal (on behalf of the European Union) and Uganda.

The Director of the Programme Planning and Budget Division, Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts, replied to questions raised.

The representative of Cuba spoke on a point of procedure.

The Chairman made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion on this question.

The Chairman proposed an oral draft decision which the Committee adopted without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this question.

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [118]

Human resources management [164]

The Committee resumed its consideration of these agenda items.

Gratis personnel

The Director of the Operational Services Division, Office of Human Resources Management, introduced the report of the Secretary-General (A/C.5/54/51).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions orally introduced the related report of that Committee.

The representative of Nigeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement.

On the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee agreed to consider and make appropriate recommendations on this report in the context of its ongoing informal consultations on this question.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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